

SSDS
presents

Cha Cha/West Coast Swing Weekend with Mike Topel.

<http://miketopel.com>



Mike has been dancing, competing and teaching since 1994. Mike prefers dance events that test his leading, following, and improvisational skills. He utilizes the balance and physical control of the martial arts in competition and social dancing, and found that improvisation and musicality were his greatest strengths. Mike is well-known in the world of Country UCWDC and a star in the NASDE and WSDC swing circuits. He judges at just about every event, and is the Chief Judge for several Midwestern events. He's the Event Director of MadMAC, a swing dance event in Madison, Wisconsin. Soon he'll bring a similar one to Austin, Texas, where he now lives

Sponsored by the

Syracuse Swing Dance Society

www.syrswingdance.org

315-434-9503 Deborah Smith, event coordinator

Friday workshops at the Knights of Columbus are included with your \$8 admission to the Dance Lovers of CNY dance. Pay at the door.

Saturday and Sunday activities all occur at **Syracuse Ukrainian Home** (see address and directions on reverse side).

Saturday dance at Ukrainian Home is \$10 at the door, unless you have a weekend pass.

February 13 – 15, 2009

Weekend Schedule

Knights of Columbus

5976 East Taft Rd, Syracuse, NY, 13212

Cha Cha Friday, February 13th

- 7:30-8:30pm **“Beginner/Intermediate”**
Basic groundwork for really good Cha Cha!
- 8:30-9:00pm **“Intermediate/Advanced”**
It's not just hips... Hot Cha Cha arm and body work!
- 9:00-1:00am Open dance with Dance Lovers DJ's
Including a dance performance

Occurring at **Dance Lovers of CNY dance**

<http://www.danceloverscny.com>

\$8 admission / Pay at the door

Syracuse Ukrainian Home

1317 West Fayette Street

WCS Saturday, February 14th

- 2:00-3:00pm **“Nineteen ways to Sugar Push”**
West Coast Swing Basics
- 3:15-4:15pm **“Cuddles and Close Connections”**
West Coast Swing Intermediate
- 4:30-5:30pm **“Sweet Feet Syncopations”**
West Coast Swing Intermediate
- 8:00-9:00pm **“Hot tucks and brushes!”**
Tucks, and other ways to brush up against your partner. (Intermediate/Advanced)
- 9:15pm-2:00am Valentines Day open dance w/ SSDS DJ's
Hint: Wear Red, Pink, or White!

WCS Sunday, February 15th

- 1:00-2:00pm **“Timing/Musicality”**
How Do you predict and hit a break?
(Intermediate/Advanced West Coast Swing)
- 2:15-3:15pm **“Athleticism in an advanced routine”**
(Advanced West Coast Swing.)
Medical waiver required... just kidding!

Private Lesson Information

Private lessons are first come, first served – with preference given to those who purchase a weekend pass. Please call 315-635-8858 or email rphdancer@aol.com to request a private lesson.

Directions

Ukrainian Home
1317 W. Fayette St., 3rd Floor, Syracuse

From the South: Take route 81 North to 690 West around downtown Syracuse. Get off route 690 at North Geddes Exit, turn left. Continue on North Geddes for about 2/3 Mi., until W. Fayette St. Turn right on W. Fayette. You will see the Ukrainian home on the left in a couple of blocks.

From the West: Take route 90E to 690E to Hiawatha exit. Turn right on Hiawatha Blvd, left on Erie Blvd. Continue for about 1 mile, turn right on Geddes, and another right on W. Fayette St. You will see the Ukrainian home on the left in a couple of blocks.

From the East: take route 90W to 481S to 690W. Get off route 690 at North Geddes Exit, turn left. Continue on North Geddes for about 2/3 Mi., until W. Fayette St. Turn right on W. Fayette. You will see the Ukrainian home on the left in a couple of blocks.

From the North: Take route 81S to Franklin St exit. Continue on Franklin for 4 blocks. Turn right on W. Fayette st. You will see the Ukrainian home on the left after 7-8 blocks



Hotel Information

Super 8 Motel - 421 7th North Street, Liverpool, NY
 (315) 451-8888 (3-5 miles)

Comfort Inn Fairgrounds - 7010 Interstate Island Rd,
 Syracuse, NY (315) 453-0045 (8 miles)

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Pre-Registration Form – Must be postmarked before Jan 31st to get the discounted rate

Sat/Sun All In Pass	Saturday				Sunday		Total
	WCS 1	WCS 2	WCS 3	WCS 4	WCS 5	WCS 6	
Sat/Sun Workshops & Dance	19 Sugar Pushes Basic	Cuddles & Connections Intermediate	Sweet Feet Syncopations Intermediate	Tucks and brushes Intermediate/ Advanced	Timing & Musicality Intermediate /Adv	Advanced WCS	Check#
Circle the amounts for the workshops you are registering for...then total. Saturday night dance is \$10, pay at the door (already included for All In pass holders)							
\$75	\$14	\$14	\$14	\$14	\$14	\$14	
Below are the prices on or after February 1st and at the door							
\$85	\$16	\$16	\$16	\$16	\$16	\$16	

Make Checks Payable to: Syracuse Swing Dance Society. Send to Maria Cirino, 98 Sherwood Lane, N. Syracuse, NY 13212

Name

Address

Phone

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